

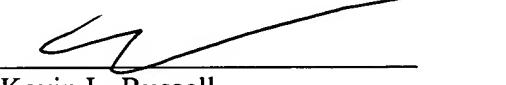
**REMARKS**

The Examiner rejected claim 1 as being anticipated by Goldman.

The applicant has amended the claims to claim something different than the previously pending claim 1.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to reconsider claims 1-12 and to pass the application to issue.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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